

Is My Property in the Floodplain?

To view the FEMA Floodplain map for property in the Sedgwick County area go to page 2.

**For flood determinations in the City of Wichita:
268-4498**

**For flood determinations in Sedgwick County
contact: Sedgwick County Code Enforcement at
660-1840**

The light blue color on the FEMA Flood Zones map on the following page indicates A, AE, AH or AO flood zone type. These are their definitions:

Zone A

Zone A is the flood insurance rate zone that corresponds to the 100-year floodplains that are determined in the Flood Insurance Study (FIS) by approximate methods. Because detailed hydraulic analyses are not performed for such areas, no BFEs or depths are shown within this zone. Mandatory flood insurance purchase requirements apply.

Zone AE and A1-A30

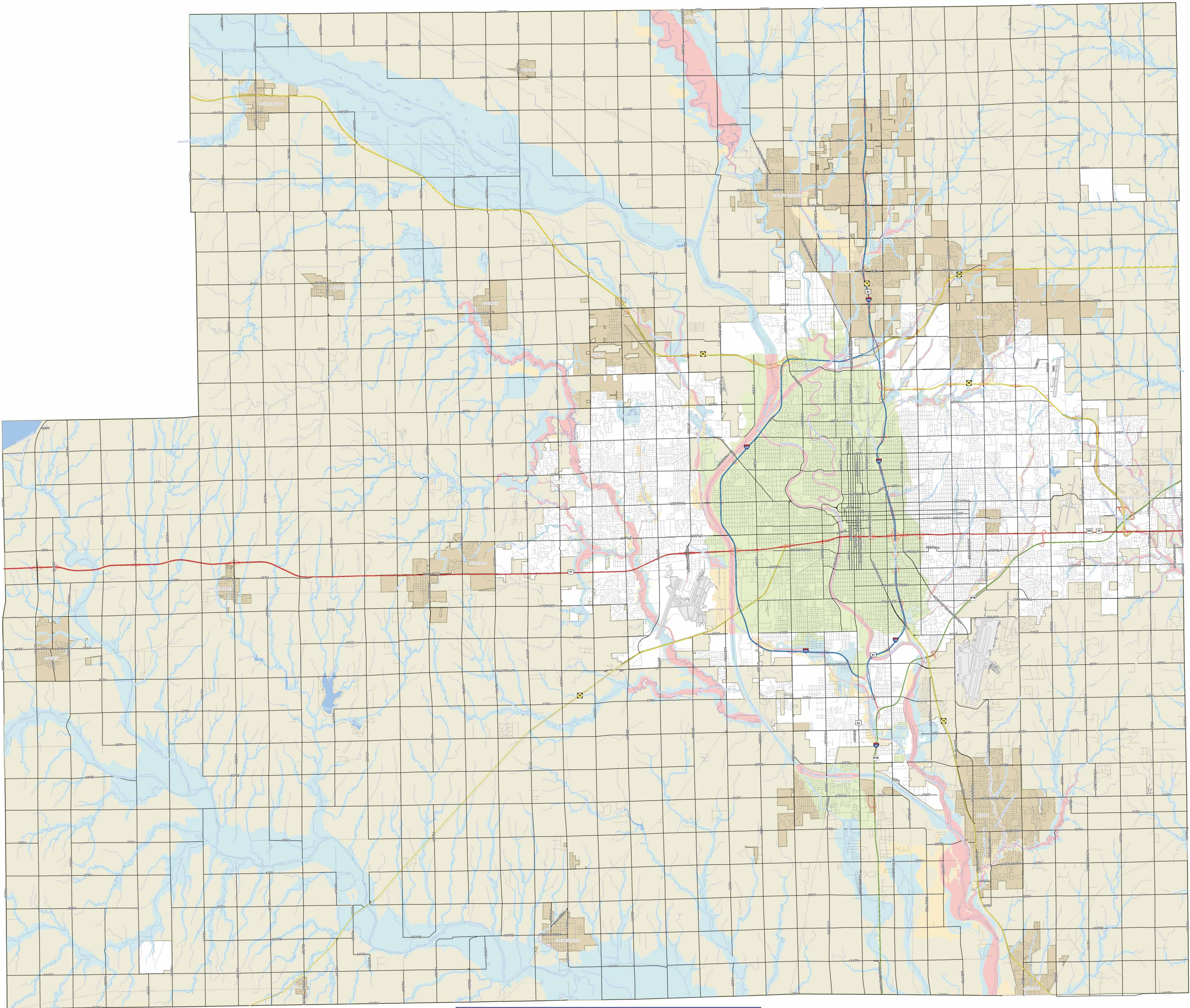
Zones AE and A1-A30 are the flood insurance rate zones that correspond to the 100-year floodplains that are determined in the FIS by detailed methods. In most instances, BFEs derived from the detailed hydraulic analyses are shown at selected intervals within this zone. Mandatory flood insurance purchase requirements apply.

Zone AH

Zone AH is the flood insurance rate zone that corresponds to the areas of 100-year shallow flooding with a constant water-surface elevation (usually areas of ponding) where average depths are between 1 and 3 feet. The BFEs derived from the detailed hydraulic analyses are shown at selected intervals within this zone. Mandatory flood insurance purchase requirements apply.

Zone AO

Zone AO is the flood insurance rate zone that corresponds to the areas of 100-year shallow flooding (usually sheet flow on sloping terrain) where average depths are between 1 and 3 feet. The depth should be averaged along the cross section and then along the direction of flow to determine the extent of the zone. Average flood depths derived from the detailed hydraulic analyses are shown within this zone. In addition, alluvial fan flood hazards are shown as Zone AO on the FIRM. Mandatory flood insurance purchase requirements apply.



Sedgwick County

FEMA Flood Zones

Flood Zones

- A, AE, AH, AO
- 0.2 PCT ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD HAZARD
- X PROTECTED BY LEVEE
- Flood Way

- Water Bodies
- Waterways

Software: ArcGIS Ver. 8.1
Hardware: Dell Xeon
Plotter: HP 5000PS

Map Data Source:
Road centerlines
provided by
City of Wichita GIS and
Sedgwick County GIS
FEMA provided flood layers

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Note: Public property represented on this map is not intended to be inclusive.

Flood Zone definitions can be found at:
<http://www.wichita.gov/CityOffices/PublicWorks/StormWaterUtility/faq2.htm>

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